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November 19, 2021

Nathan Ochsner, Clerk

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
VICTORIA DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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v.

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Criminal Action No. 6:21-cr-000121-3

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ADRIAN KEVIN CAMPBELL

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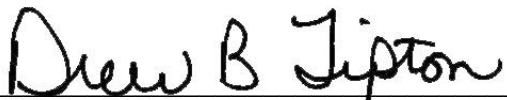
ORDER

Pending before the Court is *pro se* Defendant Adrian Kevin Campbell's "Motion [for] the Court to Use the Accepted and Endorsed Presentment to Discharge the Charges, Zero the Balance and Close the Account, Immediately." (Dkt. No. 178). Campbell attaches a copy of the superseding indictment with the handwritten sentence "accepted and return[ed] for settlement and closure" alongside his signature. (*Id.* at 3). He asks the Court to accept this "endorsed" indictment as "settling the account/case, discharging the obligations and zeroing the balance" in this "commercial dispute" with the Government. (*Id.* at 1).

These arguments, which are commonly associated with the "sovereign citizen" movement, are without any basis in law. See *Watson v. Tex. State Univ.*, 829 F. App'x 686 (5th Cir. 2020) (per curiam). This is a criminal case, not a civil case, and Campbell is under indictment. (Dkt. No. 54); (Dkt. No. 76). Trial is currently set for January 10, 2022. Accordingly, the Court **DENIES** Campbell's motion. (Dkt. No. 178).

It is SO ORDERED.

Signed on November 19, 2021.


DREW B. TIPTON
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE